CROWN ZELLERBACH CORPORATION
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Management REPORT

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CROWN ZELLERBACH FOUNDATION has granted one 4-year scholarship to Camas high school and one to Washougal high school for a member of this year's graduating classes, according to announcements being made by Superintendents Duncan of Camas and Fishback of Washougal. This is the first year for a Washougal scholarship, and the second for Camas, whose first award went to Carol Jean Bond.

These scholarships amount to $2000 each, based on $500 for each of the four college years. They are to be awarded at Commencement to one student in each high school who will prepare for teaching in public schools. Selection of the recipient is made on standards set up by the school board of each school. CZ Foundation will have no part in the selection and places no restriction other than that the student must be a U. S. citizen and attend an accredited teaching institution in Washington or Oregon.

Crown Zellerbach Foundation was established by CZ Corporation in 1952 as a non-profit corporation in order to provide more efficient administration of contributions by the corporation for scientific, education, and philanthropic purposes.

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A NEW TISSUE MACHINE, described as the largest of its kind in the world, is now being built at Beloit, Wisconsin, and will be installed in the plant of the St. Helens Pulp and Paper Company at St. Helens, Oregon, J. D. Zellerbach, president of our corporation, announced at a dinner meeting of 100 mill supervisors and community leaders at St. Helens on Wednesday evening. Mr. Zellerbach said that Crown Zellerbach has authorized expenditures of between $14 and $15 millions for the new paper machine, the modernization and speedup of one existing machine, an increase in pulp capacities and other buildings and installations designed to modernize and substantially increase production of the St. Helens mill. While these expenditures will be made over the next several years, it is expected that both modernized No. 1 paper machine and the new tissue paper machine will be producing paper early in 1955. The new tissue machine will bring to 44 the number of primary paper machines now operating in Crown Zellerbach mills, 34 of them in Washington and Oregon mills. It will be a 258 inch Yankee dry crepe tissue machine capable of making dry crepe toilet, napkin, and facial type grades from bleached kraft pulp. It will have a capacity of 35,000 tons per year.

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JAMES A. BUTTERICK has been promoted and transferred to the Crown Zellerbach converting plant at San Leandro where he will be Assistant Converting Superintendent and Night Superintendent. Jim came to the plant in September 1937, starting in the mill technical department. Since his return from military service in 1945, he has been promoted from converting inspector to assistant chief paper inspector, bag finishing foreman and napkin shift foreman. He leaves on March 1 to assume his new responsibilities at San Leandro. Robert F. Finney has been promoted from his present job in the Printing department to take Jim's place as shift foreman in the Napkin department. He will have been with us three years in May.

FOLKS WITH 25 YEARS OF SERVICE OR MORE, PLEASE get your choice of watch or clock to Mrs. Berney's office before 1:00 P.M. Friday. The watches and clocks are precision instruments. The clocks are 8-day, not electric. Both men's and women's watches are non-magnetic.

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WE ARE SADDENED this week by the passing of another of our employees. Glen C. Kruse, Bag Shipping, was stricken in the plant about 11:30 Monday night, and passed away before he could be taken to a hospital. He leaves his wife, Frances. The family home is at 1940 N. E. Adams. Glen would have been with us 10 years in July. Services will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday at Stoller's.

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MINISTERS AND WIVES of this area will be guests of management at their sixth annual dinner at the Inn Monday evening.

NO LOST-TIME ACCIDENT has occurred for 16 days. The safety slogan posted throughout the mill was submitted by C. W. Mason, Bag Factory, and reads, "You can't be safe by accident."

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TOTAL OUTPUT from the paper machines was excellent last week with 4,839.5 tons produced. This amounted to a daily average of 738.5 tons. Three machines, Nos. 3, 5, and 15 achieved averages of 95% or better. Nos. 3 and 12 each required less than 100 minutes down-time. No. 11 machine was down for the first four days of the week to complete the rebuild. The start-up Friday was exceptionally smooth with good paper being made even from the beginning. It produces a sheet of dry crepe Zee tissue 13½ ft. wide (2-81" strips) which is used for toilet rolls.

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NO. 3 AND 9 MACHINE ROOMS look like the Gay, White Way since 3 o'clock Friday afternoon when 55 mercury vapor incandescent lights were turned on in the first stage of a lighting modernization program which will total 101 lights when work is finished. At 2:55, Gus Ostenson was standing with Vern Bailie and Tom Carras by #3 wire. The candle meter which he held registered the old system at 4 - 6 ft. candlepower. At 3:07, after a 7-min. warm-up period, the new lights brought the meter up to 60 candle power. Said Tom with a pleased grin, "Looks like I can keep my machine clean without my glasses now." The new lights replace the original 30-light system in use since the building was constructed in 1930. The old center string will be retained for emergency light in case of power failure.

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THERE WERE 101 VISITORS at the mill last week. Boy Scouts of troop 318, Washougal, came on Thursday. Yesterday 20 Personnel Management students from Oregon State College were guests. Saturday Boy Scouts from Hood River will tour the mill.

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SULFITE MILL: Production, 2,256 tons. KRAFT BLEACH: 1056 tons. KRAFT MILL: 3,017.2 tons. BAG FACTORY: Production, 33,348 bales; shipments, 29,011 bales. CONVERTING: Produced 27,639 cases. NAPKIN: Produced 12,670 cases. WAX LUNCH ROLL: Produced 3,114 cases.

CONGRATULATIONS to No. 2 Finishing for passing yesterday the 2800th consecutive accident-free day. Paper Machines, tissue end, have reached their 200th day again.

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RAINFALL during the last 7 days, 3.45 in. Total for the year, 12.30 in. River level, 10.8 ft. Temperature this morning, 35°.